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The Board of Directors changed the annual membership dues structure at the September 22, 1991 board meeting in Austin. It also added a special incentive whereby a five-year membership is available for a one-time payment of only \$60.00. At latest count, the following regular members have taken advantage of this money-saving and inflation-proof option:

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President's Message Ray Whyborn

Now that you have broken almost all of your hastily made resolutions and have gone off your diet, it is time to settle down and face a whole new year. For many of us it will be an opportunity to try even harder to achieve the goals that eluded us in 1991. What a challenge we face!

The national economy is in shambles, production plants and facilities are closing right and left, unemployment is at an all-time high and doom and gloom abound. Many of our coin dealer friends are no longer in business and many annual coin shows that were highly successful are no longer being produced. There is a bright spot on the horizon, though. Three major coin shows have already been held in our state this year and two more are just around the corner. These shows provide us great opportunity to see old friends and meet new ones. I hope you have taken advantage of the opportunity to attend the Greater Houston Annual Money Show in January, Joe Wade's 10th Annual Mid-Season Coin and Stamp Show in early February and the ANA-PNG Early Spring Convention just a few weeks ago, and that you plan on attending the South Plains Coin Club's Annual Coin and Sports Card Show on March 21 and 22 in Lubbock and our own 34th TNA Convention in Fort Worth from April 24 through April 26. Whether or not you buy anything at such shows, you really need to attend them, since lack of support at these and other shows will mean fewer shows in the future. Our member dealers spend an awful lot of money to have a table at a coin show, and cannot survive unless collectors take



an interest and attend these shows. For a dealer, the volume of sales at a show is not always as important as you might think; what the dealer does count on is making contacts for future business and purchasing material for resale. Unless he can purchase inventory from you and other collectors and buy a collection or accumulation from time to time, he cannot stay in business.

Another reason that you should attend every coin show you can is to see the exhibits. If it were not for others being willing to take the time and trouble to display their "treasures", I would never have seen or handled one of the five known 1913 Liberty Head nickels, an 1804 Heraldic Eagle Silver Dollar, a Four Dollar gold "Stella", a 1907 high relief \$20 gold piece or a number of other truly unique, rare or scarce coins. Thanks to their owners, the numismatic community is able to see these and other rarities at coin shows.

Now let me say just a word or two about apathy. This organization, as any to which you belong, is exactly what you, the individual members, make it. Some of you have the bad habit of blaming those few working officers for everything that you feel is wrong with the organization, when it is really your attitude that is all wrong. There are fewer than a handful of individuals who are trying to get TNA back on the road to recovery. Those few folks are working more hours than you would believe and at great sacrifice to their health and well being. Please participate in our effort to get the TNA strong again; a post card to the editor, a small donation to the treasury, a word of encouragement to an officer will be welcomed and appreciated at this time. Get involved in your organization now. It needs you.

From the 1st Vice President... Mac Kennady

Dear fellow members - As you can see, TNA has a new editor. He is Bob Metzger of Cedar Park, a community adjacent to Austin. Bob, a fine numismatist, is employed by Texas Instruments. When Bob learned that TNA was looking for an editor, he stepped forward saying he'd like to give it a try. TNA is truly fortunate to have someone of Bob's interest and intellect to fill this role. Let's all give Bob all the support he needs by sending him club meeting reports, articles for publication, and anything else you have which you feel should be in the TNA News. His address appears elsewhere in this issue.

Some more good news! TNA's new Secretary Pro-Tem is your friend from past years, Eleanor Kennady. Eleanor volunteered to process the dues checks and keep the Association's membership records until the end of April 1992. By then, we hope to have found a permanent Secretary. Eleanor's address also appears elsewhere in this issue. I sincerely feel that the TNA is going to move forward now that we have the services of these two fine members.

Frank Clark, District V Governor and Charirman of the Educational Program for our 1992 convention, has completed plans for this program. The Friday afternoon speakers are Frank Clark, who will give a slide presentation on the voyages of Christopher Columbus, and ANA President Ed Rochette, who will discuss "Rogues and Rascals - Texas Style." The Saturday schedule includes the following: The Society of Paper Money Collectors gathering, at



which Frank Clark will have a slide presentation on Dallas National Banks; an encore showing of the Columbus slides by Frank Clark; finally, at 4:00, a talk by renowned sculptress Miley Busiek, the Dallas resident who designed the reverse of the U.S. Gold Eagle Bullion Coin. Frank Clark is to be commended for putting together an Educational Program which should prove to be of interest to all collectors and which includes such outstanding speakers. Thanks, Frank, for all your work.

Remeber, our 1992 convention will be held in Fort Worth in the Tarrant County Convention Center, East Wing, April 24, 25 and 26. Everett Hull and his colleague, Chris Keogh, continue their plans for a super TNA Convention. An auction will be conducted by Heritage Numismatic Auctions Friday evening. You owe it to yourself to attend this event. If you will need hotel/motel accomodations the official hotel is the Chisholm Inn, whose rate for this convention is \$43.00 per night for up to four persons.

TNA continues to need your support, both moral and financial. I have found it most heart-warming to see the large number of members who have made financial contributions to TNA. This, I think, shows a lot of faith in TNA and its continued progress. The notes of support further indicate strong belief in the progress being made by TNA. I ask that you continue your moral and financial support at that level at which you feel most comfortable. Please make your plans now to attend your association's 1992 convention in Fort Worth.



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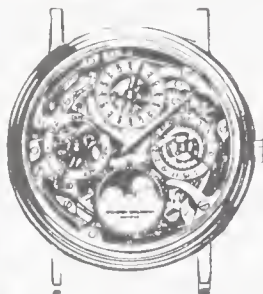
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A Few Words From the Editor

Bob Metzger

Greetings, fellow TNA members. You have undoubtedly noticed the difference in the appearance of our TNA News. Gone is our longtime, experienced editor and our glossy, typeset format. In their place we have a novice editor, equipped with a dot-matrix printer, an X-ACTO knife, rubber cement, a homemade light box, about 20 square feet of workspace and a strong belief that the publication of the TNA News is essential to the organization. Please be aware that the available budget for producing the TNA News is approximately one-third what it has been in the past few years. These first few issues may be rough, but at least they will BE. I have watched my two sons grow, and I am glad they didn't let their initial frustrating attempts at learning to walk and talk discourage them from pursuing walking and talking. Without a doubt, encouragement and advice from mom and dad was of critical importance in their mastery of those skills. It is in that spirit that I invite all of you to help me learn how to make the TNA News not only serve the needs of current members but also to encourage new members to join. The appearance will improve as I learn to walk the walk and talk the talk of a newsletter editor, but I believe the content is what will truly keep people interested and excited about the TNA News. Please be patient with me and feel free to help me get pointed in the right direction, understand my dearth of experience and the limited availability of funds, and try to guide rather than scold. See you in the mail and in Fort Worth at the convention.



BOOKS ARE CHEAP

by Colonel Bill Murray, NLG

For years the adage, first promulgated by Aaron Feldman, "Buy the book before you buy the coin," has permeated numismatic literature. The idea of acquiring knowledge as a factor all collectors should consider preeminent did not start with Feldman. At least as long ago as 1892 Joseph Hooper wrote a series of articles for *The Numismatist* titled "Numismatic Foundation Stones." From one of these we quote, "The average collector starts out with very little knowledge of the road to be travelled, being content to gather information on the way, and though often paying dearly, they consider 'experience bought better than experience taught.' Advantage is often taken of the beginner by those having superior knowledge in buying, selling or exchanging."

Q. David Bowers, well known numismatist, dealer and prolific numismatic writer, makes the point more bluntly in the 13th edition of his book, *High Profits from Rare Coin Investment*: "If you plan to spend several thousand dollars on rare coins, change your thinking and start by spending \$500 to \$1000 for books and read them. Properly selected books are literally worth their weight in gold . . . I would not sell my reference library for its equivalent in gold if I could not replace it!"

Strong words? Of course, but consider the source and realize that Dave, as a businessman, primarily wants to sell you coins, not books. In recent years his company has become a major distributor of not only his own books but also those of many other authors. He says it. He believes it. He promotes it.



It seems only logical that we should listen

What books should you buy? The answer to that lies in your own selection of numismatic goals. Large cents? **Penny Whimsy** becomes a must. U.S. coins in general? Start with **A Guide Book of United States Coins**, by Yeoman, now edited by Ken Bressett, but if you're really serious, don't wait too long before you buy **Walter Breen's Complete Encyclopedia of U.S. and Colonial Coins**. Ancient Greek coins? Consider the purchase of **Barclay V. Head's Historia Numorum**. Transportation tokens? You must have **The Atwood-Coffee Catalogue of United States and Canadian Transportation Tokens**. World coins in general? You can't do without the **Krause-Mishler Standard Catalog of World Coins**.

The above examples, of course, do not cover the field - not by a long shot. Your specialty should be determined by you. After you've done that, it won't take you long to discover the books you need.

A friend, whom I respect as a qualified, knowledgeable numismatist, recently said to me, and I must paraphrase since my memory is shorter than a hiccup, "I can't understand collectors who spend lots of money on coins, but can't afford books."

Nor can I understand it nor, I suspect, can Dave Bowers. Certainly Aaron Feldman must shake his head in sadness and disbelief as he looks down upon those bookless collectors.

Francis Bacon wrote, "Knowledge is power," about 400 years ago - the idea isn't new. We find in the book of Proverbs, written about 2600 years ago, "A wise man is strong; yea, a man of knowledge increaseth strength." Enrico Fermi, the nuclear physicist, said, "It is no good to try to stop



knowledge from going forward. Ignorance is never better than knowledge."

My point should be clear. If you want to be a wise collector, learn; numismatic books provide the easiest, quickest way to learn about the subject. Coins often are expensive. Books are cheap, especially when the knowledge obtained from them helps you carefully select those expensive coins.

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Frank Clark, TNA Educational Chairman, is pleased to announce the following educational forum schedule for the 34th Annual TNA Convention at the Tarrant County Convention Center in Fort Worth:

Friday, April 24, 1992:

2:00 PM - Slide show - Christopher Columbus' trips to the New World presented by Frank Clark.

3:00 PM - "Rogues and Rascals - Texas Style" by guest speaker and ANA President, Ed Rochette.

Saturday, April 25, 1992

2:00 PM - Society of Paper Money Collectors Regional Meeting, featuring a slide show of Dallas, Texas National Bank Notes by Frank Clark.

3:00 PM - Slide show - Christopher Columbus' trips to the New World presented by Frank Clark.

4:00 PM - Guest speaker - Miley Busiek, designer of the "family of eagles" reverse of America's gold bullion coins.

Numismatic exhibitors are needed. Write to:

Dr. Jack Gregg
P.O. Box 117060
Carrollton, TX 75011

All exhibitors must be TNA members. TNA membership applications are also available from Mr. Gregg.



Secretary's Notes Eleanor Kennady

Welcome to new TNA members:

- R-5708 Earl A. Gibson (by Gordon Haegelin)
6314 Robin Forest, San Antonio, TX 78239
District VII - general
- R-5709 Harrell H. Cherry (by Frank E. Clark, III)
1812 Rainbow, Richardson, TX 75081
District V - U.S. type coins and currency

Converting to Life Membership:

- R-4489 Ms. Gayle Pike (to LM-174)
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81 N. Century, Memphis, TN 38111

Deceased members:

- R-3742 Mike Bellacera, Houston, TX
R-4206 Rex L. Repass, M.D., Austin, TX
R-5348 Andrew Kornafel, Dolton, IL
Rest in peace...

Important Reminder:

1992 TNA membership dues were due and payable January 1, 1992. Any member whose dues have not been paid by April 1 will be dropped from the membership rolls and mailing list of the TNA.

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Garland Coin Club 28th Show
Ramada Inn Northeast, 1-635 at Centerville Rd
Write T.N Lee, Box 851181, Richardson, Tx 75085
- March 21-22** **Lubbock, Tx** **55 Tables**
So. Plains Coin Club Ann'l Coin & Sports Card Show
Lubbock Memorial Civic Center, 1501 6th St
Call: Frank Hezmall, (806) 745-3754
- March 28** **Silsbee, Tx** **23 Tables**
Silsbee Coin Club & Collectibles Show
Community Center, 835 Hwy 96S
Write: Jack Provost, Box 1676, Silsbee, Tx 77656
- March 28-29** **Waco, Tx** **70 Tables**
Waco Coin Club 14th Annual Coin & Stamp Show
Convention Center, 100 Washington Av
Call: Gerry D Kammer, (817) 772-8634
- April 4-5** **Plano, Tx** **50 Tables**
Plano Coin Club 4th Annual Show
Plano Centre, 2000 East Spring Creek Pkwy
Call: Mark Schroeder, (214) 424-1405
- April 11-12** **Corpus Christi, Tx** **28 Tables**
Corpus Christi Coin Club Show
Holiday Inn Airport, 5549 Leopard St
Call: Dave Peterson, (512) 851-9182
- April 24-26** **Fort Worth, Tx** **160 Tables**
TNA 34th Annual Convention
Tarrant County Convention Center, 111 Houston St
Call: Everett Hull, (817) 336-1782

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May 16-17 **Victoria, Tx** **38 Tables**
Victoria Coin Club 31st Annual Show
Hoilday Inn, 2705 Holiston Hwy
Call: Graves L. Rouse, (512) 575-5621

May 30-31 **Amarillo, Tx** **130 Tables**
Golden Spread Coin Club Annual Collectors' Show
Amarillo Civic Center (downtown)
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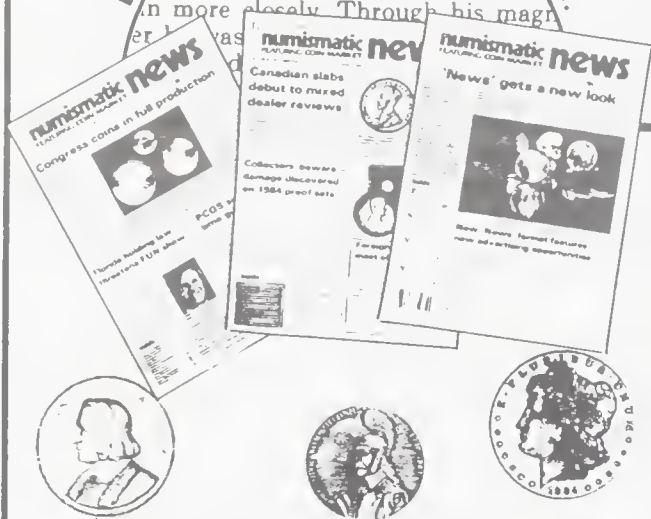
June 12-14 **Austin, Tx** **130 Tables**
Capital City Coin Club 20th Annual Show
Palmer Auditorium, South 1st & West Riverside Dr
Call: Dick, (512) 453-7565

June 26-28 **Houston, Tx** **92 Tables**
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| RECEIPTS. | | TOTAL |
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| Donations | 464.00 | |
| Interest | 188.19 | |
| Case Rental | 1000.00 | |
| | | \$5707.19 |
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| Secretary allowance | \$450.00 | |
| Expenses | 139.24 | |
| Dues Postage | 100.00 | |
| Presidents Expenses | 194.85 | |
| Editor Expenses | 47.25 | |
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| Newsletter Postage | 100.00 | |
| Medal Costs | 1500.00 | |
| Postage | 58.00 | |
| | | \$2889.34 |
| AVAILABLE BALANCE IN CHECKING ACCOUNT | | \$4644.64 |
| INCUMBERED FUNDS | | |
| ANA Jr Seminar Fund | \$1086.25 | |
| TNA Memorial Library Fund | 666.58 | |
| Life Membership C.D. Account | 10000.00 | |
| | | \$11752.83 |
| TOTAL ASSETS AS OF JAN. 31, 1992 | | \$16397.47 |

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Research Project Underway

The First Wednesday Numismatic Study Group has embarked upon an effort to research the establishment and operation of the Garza Mint in San Antonio, which was authorized by the Spanish Government in 1818 to provide circulating coinage in the Spanish Colony of Texas. The coins, known as Texas *jolas*, are believed to represent the earliest use of the Texas "Lone Star" symbol. Since the majority of the members of the FWNSG reside in the Austin - San Antonio corridor, any information uncovered in libraries, historical archives or other sources outside that geographical area is especially sought. Correspondence regarding the mint, the Texas *jolas* or the de la Garza family, in either Spanish or English, is welcomed. Any information, no matter how insignificant it may seem, should be sent to:

First Wednesday Numismatic Study Group
P.O. Box 8551
San Antonio, TX 78208



The first Morgan silver dollars were struck at the Philadelphia Mint on March 11, 1878.

TEXAS

District Meetings

DISTRICT IV

Thirty members and four guests attended the February meeting of the Capital City Coin Club. Dick Mowrey reported on progress for this year's show. He noted that, as with everything else, the cost of operating a show continues to rise. A lively discussion of the defeat of the bill to change coinage designs followed. It was pointed out that erroneous information caused the downfall of the bill.

Huston Pearson gave an interesting program on his experiences as a vest pocket dealer. He stated that many years ago it was common to have 50 to 80 members attend a coin club meeting, after which members with coins to sell or swap would set up card tables and a mini bourse. These members were vest pocket dealers, people who had other professions but who enjoyed the hobby and the camaraderie of fellow collectors. Huston told how now a vest pocket dealer must document all sales and expenses in order to not run afoul of the IRS. He also advised prospective vest pocket dealers to know the market and to find a niche in that market.

The meeting concluded with a coin auction.
--Larry Smulczenski, reporter.

Members of the Austin Texas Coin Club heard a report on the two-day conference on early Mexican

coinage held in San Antonio by the First Wednesday Numismatic Study Group and the American Numismatic Society. The conference was held as a memorial to Bob Medlar, the well known numismatist who passed away last year. It was noted that Coin World devoted extensive coverage to the conference.

Larry Smulczenski presented a program on the E.A. Wright Banknote Company, a little known Philadelphia company that printed beautiful emergency currency for five French colonies during World War II. The company is better known for the stock certificates and stamps that it printed. Larry showed slide of the notes and talked about the background of some of the vignettes depicted on those notes. The company was in business for nine decades and was finally sold in the 1960's.

--Larry Smulczenski, club Vice President

DISTRICT V

Seventeen members attended the February meeting of the Dallas Coin Club. Frank Clark presented an intriguing show of "Steel Engraved Handkerchiefs" from the Bureau of Engraving. These handkerchiefs were presented at the early 1900's expositions like the 1904 Louisiana Purchase Expo, and are elaborately engraved. Exhibition cards were printed along with the handkerchiefs using the same plate design on each. The reason for the handkerchiefs is unknown. The one Frank had was mounted and framed and quite beautiful.

Fourteen items were auctioned, netting the club \$2.01. Betty Ann Hackney won the doorprize.

--Michael P. Grant, club Secretary/Treasurer

Eighteen members and two guests were in

attendance at the Garland Coin Club meeting in February. Ron Blaha presented a program on Nova Eborac coppers. These unofficial coppers are the most common colonials associated with the state of New York. Ron shared information regarding the number extant, relative rarity of the four different varieties, as well as their values over the last thirty-odd years. He told the audience that the coppers were struck by John Bailey and Ephraim Brasher in 1787 and early 1788, and are punch linked to the very rare Brasher Doubloon. He noted that John Bailey was also known as the fabricator of George Washington's service sword, which now resides in the Smithsonian. Ron mentioned that he was surprised to learn that the Latin legend on the coppers ("Virt. Et Lib.") meant "Strength and Freedom", rather than "Virtue and Liberty."

28 lots sold in the auction, and the proceeds amounted to \$13.90, earning the club a small amount also. Larry Cervenka won the doorprize.

--Ron Blaha, club Secretary/Treasurer

The Hunt County Coin Club is pleased to announce its 1992 officers: President, Frank Ferguson; Vice President, Glen Welch; Sec/Treas, Myra Craven; Directors, G.V. Corley and Justin Norris. The club had 30 members in 1991, ten of them new members.

--Myra Craven, club Secretary/Treasurer

DISTRICT VI

The 1991 officers of the Ricebelt Coin Club were reinstated by acclamation for 1992: President, Gerd Conner; Vice President, J.C. Franz; Secretary, Grace Vaclavick; Treasurer, Johnnie Bartosh. Walt Mehnert was appointed Program Chairman and

Vada Swinson was appointed Publicity Chairman.

At the monthly meeting, the club voted unanimously to underwrite the cost of Coin Card Holders for 30 boy scouts trying to earn their merit badges in coin collecting. In order to try to attract new club members, a display will be put up in the library and a newsletter will be prepared by President Conner, on a six month trial basis. He will also talk to Jerry Aulds to get some air time for the club.

--Grace Vaclavick, club Secretary

DISTRICT VII

The Alamo Coin Club welcomes back 3 former members: Jack Lord and Louis and Cecilia Toliver. The club is also pleased to announce that its annual show will be held on October 17-18 at the Oak Hills Motor Inn. It is estimated that up to 23 dealer tables and 3 exhibitor tables will be available.

Mike Rufer reported that the symposium on Mexican coinage in honor of Bob Medlar was well organized and extremely educational.

--club newsletter, The Golddigger

DISTRICT IX

The South Plains Coin Club officers for 1992 are: President, Frank Hezmall, Vice President, Hanson Ling, Sec/Treas, Bobby McMichael. The officers were installed at the annual Christmas party, which was followed by an auction at which over \$1000 was raised for the Lubbock "Meals on Wheels" program

--E.L. Pitzer, reporter

The Lamb County Coin Club voted to purchase American Eagle Silver Dollars and Mint Sets for 1992

door prizes Larry Sanderson gave a program on and had a display of "Odd and Curious Money "
--E.L. Pitzer, reporter

DISTRICT XI

The Golden Spread Coin Club has elected the following officers for 1992: President, James Harding; Vice President, Lloyd Colvin; Secretary, Nela Runkle; Treasurer, Paulla White; at large board members, R L. "Tommy Tompkins, Mike Ecklund and Diane Moore Past President is Jerry Davidson.

The February program was given by Lloyd Colvin, and was about not slabbing coins. Door prize winners were Nela Runkle, Linda Runkle-Taylor and junior member Ryan Hoskins.

The board voted that the club will have competitive exhibits at the club show May 30-31. Since this is a collectors' show, exhibits can be coins or related numismatic, cards, stamps, knives, arts, crafts, etc., excepting guns and counterfeit or illegal items. A new judging sheet will have to be invented, an exhibit chairman obtained and judges found. Prizes will be plaques or trophies for two places, "Best of Show" and First Place, and ribbons awarded for the remainder. Member George Kuntz has been working hard on getting a cachet for first day cancellation by the Post Office at the show, which will hopefully be approved.

--Nela Runkle, club Secretary

DISTRICT XIII

The Red River Coin Club of Iowa Park held a gala Christmas party and dinner in December, thanks to the success of the club's annual coin and stamp show held in Wichita Falls the weekend before

Thanksgiving. Members of the Wichita Falls Stamp and Coin Club and members of the TEXOMA Stamp Club that actively participated in the show attended the party and were warmly greeted by president Ted Brewer. Each member and guest was treated to a "happy hour", a large buffet dinner and a gift exchange. Forty folks attended and enjoyed an evening of mirth and merriment. It was the first Red River Christmas party in the last six years without snow or miserable weather.

--Raymond Whyborn, reporter

DISTRICT XV

Officers for 1992 for the Beaumont Coin Club are as follows: President, Bill Stein; Vice President, Judy Matherine; Treasurer, David Newton; Secretary, Rosemary Moore. Bob Jenkins received the C.L. Babcock Award and John Brown received the Lifetime Achievement Award. Door prizes were won by Pete Gray, Zeke Provost, Anthony Provost and John Brown.

--Rosemary Moore, club Secretary



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